

May 8, 2017

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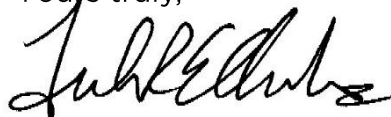
**Re: Application for a CPCN to Provide Steam (Heat) Service and for  
Contract Approval on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC ("DEC")  
Docket No. 2017-47-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On April 11, 2017 DEC made a request in the referenced docket that the intervention deadline, originally scheduled for April 17, 2017, be suspended so that DEC and Clemson University could consider alternate locations for the Combined Heat and Power project ("the Project") that is the subject of the application. By Amended Standing Hearing Officer Order No. 2017-26-H, dated April 12, 2017 the intervention deadline was suspended "until further notice." On May 5, 2017, DEC notified the Commission that a new location for the project had been determined and that it would be built on property owned by Clemson University and known as "Kite Hill." Also on May 5, 2017, the City of Clemson filed a Motion to Withdraw its intervention.

Since DEC and Clemson University have determined that the Project should be located on the Kite Hill parcel, and the City of Clemson has filed a Motion to Withdraw its intervention, DEC submits that the suspension of the intervention deadline should end. Accordingly, we request that a deadline for intervention be re-established so that the proceedings in this docket may move forward.

Yours truly,



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